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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of) Examiner: LE, EMILY M
Fang et al.) Art Unit:1648
Serial No.: 09/910,483) Confirmation No.:3201
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Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Dear Sir/Madam:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2005. Applicant hereby request entry of this response, which is timely filed with the payment of a three-month extension fee up to and including September 12, 2005 (because September 10, 2005 is on a Saturday). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite fee for filing of this amendment, as well as to credit any overpayment associated with filing of any other papers in connection with this application during its entire pendency, to Deposit Account No. 04-1679. Applicants respectfully requests consideration and entry of the following amendment and remarks into the file history of this application.

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this Response

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this Response.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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